



**BAY AREA
AIR QUALITY
MANAGEMENT
DISTRICT**

July 31, 2015

Richard Corey
Executive Officer
California Air Resources Board (ARB)
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: Application for participation in Year 5 of the Proposition 1B Goods Movement Emission Reduction Program

Dear Mr. Corey:

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (Air District) is pleased to submit the enclosed application for participation in Year 5 of the Proposition 1B Goods Movement Emission Reduction Program (GMP). This submittal is in response to the Notice of Funding Availability published by ARB on July 6, 2015. The Air District is proposing to administer Year 5 Program funding in the following categories: 1) On-road heavy-duty diesel trucks, 2) Locomotives and rail yards, 3) Ships at berth & cargo handling equipment, and 4) Transportation refrigeration units.


The Air District's mission is to protect and improve public health, air quality and the global climate for the 7.2 million residents of the Bay Area. As part of this mission, the Air District is entrusted with permitting over 15,000 stationary sources of air pollution in the nine counties that surround San Francisco Bay: Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, southwestern Solano, and southern Sonoma counties.

Additionally, Air District grant programs have provided over \$400 million via competitive grant processes to private and public entities in the last 10 years to reduce pollution from mobile sources. Successful projects include the repower, retrofit and replacement of heavy duty diesel engines (trucks, off-road equipment, marine vessels and locomotives), bicycle projects, alternative fuels, advanced technology demonstrations and deployments, electric vehicles and infrastructure, and shuttles and ridesharing projects throughout the Bay Area.

The Air District has witnessed the impact that the GMP has had in reducing air pollution in the Bay Area; including an over 50% reduction in particulate emissions from drayage trucks at the Port of Oakland and look forward to continued GMP participation.

Please contact Damian Breen, Deputy Air Pollution Control Officer at (415) 749-5041 or dbreen@baaqmd.gov if you would like to discuss our application in greater detail.

Sincerely,


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Executive Officer/ APCO

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Enclosed: BAAQMD Application for participation in GMP Year 5